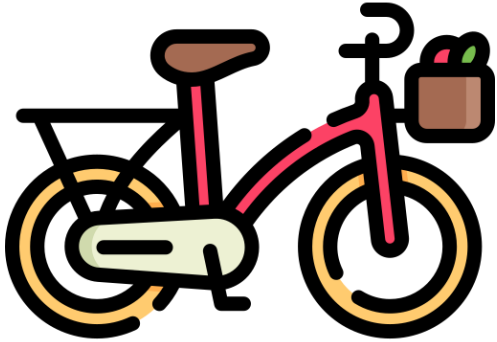


## LEARNING FROM ACCIDENTS No. 46/2025

**INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT NO. 017/2025 FROM 15.07.2025, NO. 018/2025 FROM 30.07.2025**



<b>ACCIDENT DESCRIPTION</b>	while riding his bicycle on an internal road, the victim rode under the barrier and, avoiding its arm, hit the curb and then the pole	at a pedestrian crossing blocked by a car, the victim stopped, got off his bicycle, and while trying to lift it onto a high curb, he caught the wheel, lost his balance, and fell on his left side
<b>INJURY</b>	superficial injury to the wrist and hand	contusion and sprain of the left wrist
<b>PLACE OF ACCIDENT</b>	Oliwa Campus, near entrance gate no. 5	near the Biology Department building
<b>DIRECT CAUSE OF THE ACCIDENT</b>	performing a sudden maneuver while passing under a lowering barrier, which led to a loss of balance and hitting the pole with the right hand	loss of balance and fall onto the left side of the body as a result of the front wheel of the bicycle likely hitting the curb of the sidewalk
<b>INDIRECT CAUSE OF THE ACCIDENT</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- failure to comply with traffic signs – riding a bicycle within arm's reach of a barrier, despite the prohibition in force, failure to use an available and designated bicycle path</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- attempting to ride over a high curb without properly lifting the front wheel of the bicycle,</li><li>- a parked passenger car on a designated pedestrian crossing</li></ul>
<b>CORRECTIVE AND PREVENTIVE ACTION</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- discuss the causes and circumstances of accidents at work in organizational units, with particular emphasis on the rules for safe movement around the University of Gdansk campus,</li><li>- initiate a change in the occupational risk assessment for the workplace.</li></ul>	

**REMEMBER!  
BE CAREFUL WHEN CYCLING**